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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Antonin A. Meibock

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Title: APPARATUS, SYSTEM, AND METHOD FOR ENGAGING TOES IN FOOTWEAR

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS:

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Applicant hereby requests Continued Examination of the instant application. Payment for such request is included herewith. In furtherance of the case, applicant also submits amendments and remarks addressing issues raised in the Final Office Action dated January 11, 2005.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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